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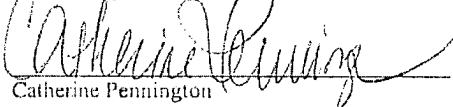
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Amendment

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 9, 2007, please enter the following Amendment, Information Disclosure Statement, and Three-Month Petition for Extension of Time for the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

A replacement Abstract is included on page 11 of this Amendment.